UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Docket No. USP00283D

To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:
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corresponding to application, filed,
entitled: EAR TERMINAL

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Enclosed are:

	Х	22 pages of specification.	
	х	nine sheets of formal drawings.	
		a newly-executed declaration of the inventor.	
		a copy of an executed declaration of the inventor from prior application Ser No. , filed .	ia
		incorporation by reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied as indicated in the preceding box, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	
		an assignment of the invention to , including assignment cover sheet.	
		Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449.	
		copies of the Information Disclosure Statement citations.	
		preliminary amendment.	
	X	return receipt postcard (MPEP 503), specifically itemized.	
		a verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27	' .
		a verified statement to establish small entity status filed in prior application. Status is still proper and desired.	
		a certified copy of the Priority Document.	
	Х	other: Data Entry Sheet. This application is filed without a declaration.	
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A check in the amount of \$690 to cover the filing fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 in the name of Young & Thompson, as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Charge the amount of \$ as filing fee. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional fee required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17, during the pendency of this application. Charge the issue fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the mailing of the Notice of Allowance. Robert J. Patch Registration No. 17,355 745 South 23rd Street Arlington, VA 22202 Telephone 703/521-2297 September 1, 2000									